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Genoa, April 3. *N. S.*

THE laſt Letters from Leghorn bring Advice, that the Naſſau and Chatham, two Britiſh Men of War, were arrived there with a French Prize. Theſe Ships were to take in ſome freſh Proviſions at that Port, after which they were to ſail directly for Port Mahon, where it is ſuppoſed Sir John Norris is arrived with the Fleet under his Command, having been ſeen off of Barcelona on the 23d of the laſt Month. On Saturday laſt eight Sail of Ships belonging to this State ſet ſail for the Coaſts of Spain and Portugal, having ſeveral Paſſengers on Board, among whom were Monſieur Piki and the Abbot Lucini; the former going to Lisbon with the Character of Nuncio, and the other to Barcelona with that of Inter-Nuncio from the Pope. On Monday laſt the Terrible, a Britiſh Man of War, was diſpatched from hence to Barcelona, with Letters to his Catholick Majeſty. On the 1ſt Inſtant came in here one of the Duke of Turſis's Galleys from Antibes, having on Board the General of the Galleys belonging to Sicily, with the Marquis of St. Philip, who went to Paris about ſix Weeks ago to receive the laſt Inſtructions from the Court of France, as likewiſe from that of Madrid. It is ſaid he has poſitive Orders for the Execution of an Expedition on the Kingdom of Sardinia, which the Enemy have been long preparing for in theſe Parts, and which is carried on by the Duke d'Uzeda, the late Ambaſſador at Rome, in behalf of the Duke of Anjou.

Warſaw, April 13. *N. S.* This Court hath been very intent on the Iſſue of the preſent Debates and Conſultations of the great Council of the Kingdom, and his Majeſty hath been very aſſiduous in purſuing ſuch Meaſures as may moſt effectually procure the Tranquility of Poland, and a good Underſtanding between himſelf and the Commonwealth. The Opinions of the Council have been Unanimous, that the beſt Expedient to compaſs this End would be to aſſemble a General Diet, to levy ſuch an Army out of the Natives of the Kingdom as may be ſufficient for its Security, and to ſend Ambaſſadors to the neighbouring Courts. The General of the Crown propoſed alſo in the Diet, that the Confederacy of Sendomir ſhould be confirmed, a Proteſtation be made againſt the Treaty of Alt-Ranſtadt, and that the City of Dantzig be obliged to pay 100000 Crowns, and provide thirty Mortars, twenty Pieces of Cannon, and three Regiments of Infantry for the Publick Service. His Majeſty having heard theſe Propoſitions, hath been pleaſed to conſent that the Confederacy of Great Poland and the Treaty of Alt-Ranſtadt ſhould be annulled; and hath alſo declared that he would ſend the Saxon Troops out of the Kingdom, as ſoon as the Crown had a ſufficient Army on Foot. The levying of thoſe Forces, and the eſtabliſhment of proper Funds for their Subſiſtence, hath been the Subject of frequent Debates; and that being adjuſted, a new Difficulty aroſe where the Subſidies ſhould be depoſited. The Deputies of Great Poland were inclined to keep up the Ancient Cuſtom, and entruſt the Palatines of the reſpective Palatinates out of which the Mony is to be raiſed, with the Cuſtody and Management of the Revenue. The Deputies of Little Poland have been very zealous in urging Meaſures more ſuitable to the preſent Circumſtances of the Nation, and would have Monſieur de Prebendaw, Great Treaſurer of the Crown, to be impowered to receive the whole Publick Funds; and that the Adminiſtration of all the Treaſure of the Kingdom ſhould be entirely under his Direction. Yeſterday the General Council met at their uſual Hour of nine in the Morning, and reſuming the Matters that had been under Deliberation the Day before, the great Inconveniencies were ſet forth that muſt neceſſarily enſue, if the Taxes were continued in the Hands of the ſeveral Palatines; and after long Debates on this Subject, they came to a Reſolution, that the Care of the Revenue ſhould be committed to one Perſon, and then unanimouſly agreed that Monſieur de Prebendaw, Great Treaſurer of the Crown, ſhould be entruſted with that Charge, and that none but ſuch as are appointed by him ſhould be any ways concerned therein; yet with this Limitation, that the ſaid Power was only to continue during the ſpace of the two next enſuing Years. The Council alſo determined the Method and Time for paying thoſe Subſidies, and declared that the Payment of the firſt half ſhould be made in October next; and that in the mean time the moſt convenient Methods ſhould be taken for bringing in the Arrears granted at the Diet of Lublin. The Council ſat 'till five in the Afternoon, and then his Majeſty adjourned them to Monday the 14th. It is believed the Diet will be diſſolved within few Days. Yeſterday the Deputies from the Nobility of Great Poland went in a Body to viſit the Earl of Stairs, Envoy-Extraordinary from the Queen of Great Britain to this Court, and requeſted that her Britannick Majeſty would be pleaſed to interpoſe her Princely Offices to procure this Kingdom a ſure and ſpeedy Peace with the Swedes. Some time after Monſieur Potechi, Great General of Lithuania, made the Earl of Stairs a Viſit. The Deputies of the Nobility of Great Poland waited the ſame Day on Monſieur Cranenbourg, the Miniſter of the States-General. This Day the Britiſh Envoy gives an Entertainment to Prince Badewill, Monſieur Prebendaw the Great Treaſurer of the Crown, Monſieur Fleming the chief Miniſter, the Dutch and Daniſh Envoys, and ſeveral of the chief Nobility in the Kingdom. Laſt Night we received the Declaration of the Neutrality of the Empire, which gives great Satisfaction to this Court.

Falmouth, April 15. On the 12th Inſtant ſailed to Cruize, the Neptune's Privateer, Cornelius Garrottſon Commander. On the 13th arrived the Hope Galley of Lime, the Palme and the Moadlin, both of Plimouth, all from Oporto, being bound for London. Yeſterday put in here the St. John and St. Joſeph, of and from Bilboa, from Amſterdam, Mathew Delathamoore Maſter; and this Day arrived the Expedition Packet-boat, commanded by Captain Clyes, from London, in order to receive a Mail for Lisbon.

Plimouth, April 16. On the 13th Inſtant arrived the Greyhound Galley of and for London from Leghorn, and the Martha from Oporto. The ſame Day came in her Majeſty's Ships the Romney, Guernſey, Deptford, Experiment, Lark, Mary-Galley and Arundel, with about a hundred Sail of Merchant Ships for Portugal, the Weſt-Indies and Virginia. On the 14th arrived the Litchfield from Spithead. Yeſterday ſailed the above-mentioned Fleet, and with them the Newcaſtle, Dover and Sweepſtakes; as alſo the Provoſt Galley of Briſtol for Falmouth. Yeſterday came in a Swede from Oporto. This Day ſailed the Aldborough with two Veſſels to the Weſtward.

Portſmouth, April 18. On Friday laſt her Majeſty's Ships the Norfolk and Lancaſter arrived at Spithead from the Eaſtward. The next Day the Southſea-caſtle came in from Cruiſing; and her Majeſty's Ships the Royal Sovereign, Lyme and Swallow's Prize from the Downs. On Sunday laſt her Majeſty's Ships the Southſea-caſtle and Cruiſer ſailed to the Eaſtward. The ſame Day the Portland